



Watertown Town Council

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TOWN COUNCIL MEETING
TUESDAY, JANUARY 22, 2013 @ 7:15 PM
RICHARD E. MASTRANGELO COUNCIL CHAMBER
ADMINISTRATION BUILDING
AGENDA

1. ROLL CALL
2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
3. EXAMINATION OF MINUTES: January 8, 2013.
4. PUBLIC FORUM
5. PRESIDENT'S REPORT
6. INFORMATION PRESENTATIONS:

- a) Informational Presentation on the proposed Park renovations/improvements at 552 Main Street – Peter Centola, Recreation Director.

7. PUBLIC HEARING AND VOTE:

- a) Public hearing and vote on an Ordinance amending Watertown Code of Ordinances, Title IX, General Regulations; Chapter 91, Animals; Section 91.16: Restraint of Dogs allowing dogs on leashes to be walked in Whitney Hill Park.
- b) Public hearing and vote on an Ordinance amending Watertown Code of Ordinances Title III, Administration; Chapter 31, Boards, Commissions and Departments, Timing and Process of Appointments; Section 31.50: Expiration of Terms to provide for an expiration date for appointments to the Storm-water Advisory Board.

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8. COMMITTEE REPORTS:

- a) Committee on Personnel and Town Organization report on a Town Organization study; Public Works study; and note taker for subcommittees – Susan Falkoff, Chair.
- b) Committee on Budget and Fiscal Oversight report and action on Section 29, 30,, 34 and 45 of Chapter 176 of the Acts of 2011 and pension funding schedule for FY 2014 – Vincent J. Piccirilli, Chair.

9. NEW BUSINESS

10. COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE TOWN MANAGER:

- a) Submission of the Fiscal Year 2014 Capital Improvement Program.

11. REQUESTS FOR INFORMATION

12. ANNOUNCEMENTS

13. PUBLIC FORUM

14. ADJOURNMENT

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TOWN COUNCIL ROLL CALL ATTENDANCE

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	PRESENT	ABSENT
STEVE CORBETT	✓ _____	_____
JOHN DONOHUE	✓ _____	_____
SUSAN FALKOFF	✓ _____	_____
ANGIE KOUNELIS	✓ _____	_____
CECILIA LENK	✓ _____	_____
ANTHONY PALOMBA	✓ _____	_____
VINCENT PICCIRILLI	✓ _____	_____
KENNETH WOODLAND	✓ _____	_____
MARK SIDERIS COUNCIL PRESIDENT	_____	_____

TOWN COUNCIL ROLL CALL VOTE

MEETING DATE: January 22, 2013

Dog Walking Ordinance for Whitney Hill

	YES	NO	PRESENT
STEVE CORBETT	<u>✓</u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
JOHN DONOHUE	<u>✓</u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
SUSAN FALKOFF	<u>✓</u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
ANGIE KOUNELIS	<u>✓</u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
CECLIA LENK	<u>✓</u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
ANTHONY PALOMBA	<u>✓</u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
VINCENT PICCIRILLI	<u>✓</u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
KENNETH WOODLAND	<u>✓</u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
MARK SIDERIS	<u>✓</u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
COUNCIL PRESIDENT			

TOWN COUNCIL ROLL CALL VOTE

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Expiration of Terms Ordinance

	YES	NO	PRESENT
STEVE CORBETT	<u>✓</u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
JOHN DONOHUE	<u>✓</u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
SUSAN FALKOFF	<u>✓</u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
ANGIE KOUNELIS	<u>✓</u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
CECLIA LENK	<u>✓</u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
ANTHONY PALOMBA	<u>✓</u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
VINCENT PICCIRILLI	<u>✓</u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
KENNETH WOODLAND	<u>✓</u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
MARK SIDERIS	<u>✓</u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
COUNCIL PRESIDENT	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>

TOWN COUNCIL ROLL CALL VOTE

MEETING DATE: January 22, 2013

Vote 1 on the recommendations by the BFO Committee on Local Options

Section 29, 30 of chapter 176 not to adopt

	YES	NO	PRESENT
STEVE CORBETT	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
JOHN DONOHUE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
SUSAN FALKOFF	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
ANGIE KOUNELIS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
CECLIA LENK	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
ANTHONY PALOMBA	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
VINCENT PICCIRILLI	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
KENNETH WOODLAND	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
MARK SIDERIS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
COUNCIL PRESIDENT			

TOWN COUNCIL ROLL CALL VOTE

MEETING DATE: January 22, 2013

Vote 2 on the recommendations by the BFO Committee on Local Options

Section 418, chapter 126 - not to adopt

	YES	NO	PRESENT
STEVE CORBETT	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
JOHN DONOHUE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
SUSAN FALKOFF	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
ANGIE KOUNELIS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
CECLIA LENK	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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VINCENT PICCIRILLI	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
KENNETH WOODLAND	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
MARK SIDERIS COUNCIL PRESIDENT	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

TOWN COUNCIL ROLL CALL VOTE

MEETING DATE: January 22, 2013

Vote 3 on the recommendations by the BFO Committee on Retirement Board salaries, *section 34 not to adopt*

	YES	NO	PRESENT
STEVE CORBETT	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
JOHN DONOHUE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
SUSAN FALKOFF	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
ANGIE KOUNELIS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
CECLIA LENK	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
ANTHONY PALOMBA	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
VINCENT PICCIRILLI	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
KENNETH WOODLAND	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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AN ORDINANCE AMENDING WATERTOWN CODE OF ORDINANCES TITLE IX, GENERAL REGULATIONS; CHAPTER 91, ANIMALS; SECTION 91.16: RESTRAINT OF DOGS

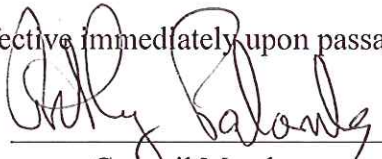
WHEREAS, the area known as Whitney Hill Park in the Town is intended for use for passive recreation; and

WHEREAS, it is desirous to allow, consistent with such passive recreational use, the walking of dogs on leashes at Whitney Hill Park.


NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED by the Town Council of the City known as the Town of Watertown that the Watertown Code of Ordinances, Title IX, General Regulations; Chapter 91, Animals; Section 91.16: Restraint of Dogs is hereby amended by inserting a new paragraph (C) as follows:


(C) Notwithstanding the provisions of paragraph (B) above, dogs on leashes shall be permitted upon marked walking paths in Whitney Hill Park.

This ordinance shall be effective immediately upon passage.


Council Member

I hereby certify that at a regular meeting of the Town Council for which a quorum was present, the above Ordinance was adopted by unanimous roll call vote on January 22, 2013.


Valerie Papas, Council Clerk


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AN ORDINANCE AMENDING WATERTOWN CODE OF ORDINANCES TITLE III, ADMINISTRATION; CHAPTER 31, BOARDS, COMMISSIONS AND DEPARTMENTS, TIMING AND PROCESS OF APPOINTMENTS; SECTION 31.50: EXPIRATION OF TERMS

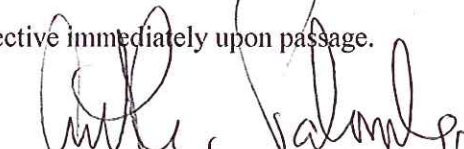
WHEREAS, Watertown Code of Ordinances Title III, Administration; Chapter 31, Boards, Commissions and Departments, Timing and Process of Appointments; Section 31.50: Expiration of Terms, was enacted to allow for the orderly filling of vacancies on Town boards, committees, and commissions; and

WHEREAS, the Ordinance does not currently address the expiration of terms for the Town's Stormwater Advisory Committee.


NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED by the Town Council of the City known as the Town of Watertown that the Watertown Code of Ordinances, Title III, Administration; Chapter 31, Boards, Commissions and Departments, Timing and Process of Appointments; Section 31.50: Expiration of Terms, Paragraph (A) is hereby amended as follows:


1. Delete from sub-paragraph (17) the word "and";
2. Delete from sub-paragraph (18) the punctuation mark "." and insert in place thereof the language "; and"; and
3. Insert new sub-paragraph (19) as follows:
(19) Stormwater Advisory Committee: July 15

This ordinance shall be effective immediately upon passage.


Council Member

I hereby certify that at a regular meeting of the Town Council for which a quorum was present, the above Ordinance was adopted by a roll call vote of 9 for, 0 against, 0 present on Jan. 22, 2013.


Valerie Papas
Council Clerk


Mark S. Sideris
Council President